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For: METHOD OF MAKING A PROTEIN  
POLYMER AND USES OF THE POLYMER

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**POST-ALLOWANCE COMMUNICATION**  
**IN RESPONSE TO INTERVIEW SUMMARY**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Interview Summary dated July 8, 2008 in response to a telephone interview initiated by Examiner Borin on June 25, 2008. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Issuance is therefore respectfully requested, in light of the remarks presented herein.

On June 30, 2008, Applicants submitted a Post-Allowance Communication with a fully executed Rule 63 Declaration, properly executed by all inventors, with their Response To Missing Requirements of April 25, 2002. Two copies of the Declaration were submitted, with one copy containing one co-inventor signature, and the other copy containing the signatures of the remaining co-inventors.

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If the Examiner needs additional information, or believes an additional teleconference would expedite issuance of this application, please telephone the undersigned at (858) 720-5133.

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